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10.30 AM	10.25 AM	Glen Ellen	8.10 AM	6.18 AM
7.20 PM	7.15 PM	and intermediates	3.37 PM	2.45 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Novato	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM	Petaluma Santa Rosa and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Cloverdale		10.30 AM
2.45 PM		Healdsburg Lytton and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
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THE SOWING.

One wept that his harvest was small,
With little of fruit or of grain,
While his neighbor, with barns running o'er,
Still followed the full freighted wain.
"How much didst thou sow?" I said. "Friend,
A handful of wheat, less or more."
"And didst thou expect broad acres would bend
To thy sickle from such scanty store?
Who sparingly soweth must look
For little of fruit or of grain;
'Tis only the bountiful sower can reap
A bountiful harvest again.
A lesson," I said, "to the soul,
For harvest time soon will be here;
Sow with bountiful hands lest thou weep at the last,
When the Lord of the harvest draws near."
—Watch Tower.

When the Heart Is Young

How an Organist Sought Love Through a Medium and Found It Through Accident.

The vestry door of the church of St. John the Evangelist opened about an hour after the Sunday morning service, and a spruce figure passed slowly down the asphalt walk to the street pavement. It was M. Auguste, the little organist.

M. Auguste had come to a determination within the past hour. The sun of prosperity was beginning to shine upon this middle aged Alsatian, and he felt the elation of spirit. He had a good position as organist; he had a large music class; he had composed a successful march; he had a bank account. He would have more; he would share his happiness; he would marry.

Practical thought came back to him with the eating of his Sunday restaurant dinner. His pint bottle of cheap wine stimulated him to an act courageous. He would seek the wife of the minister and ask her help to find him a suitable mate. He had heard that she made many matches among the church people.

In this state of mind he went to the house of the minister, Dr. Dahl, and was announced to the wife of that gentleman, to her great surprise. She had merely a speaking acquaintance with the spruce little organist, but she came to him at once and expected to hear a tale of woe or distress. Her surprise may be imagined when the excited Alsatian, in a compound of bad English, German and French, poured forth his heart's desires, his thoughts, his hopes and besonght her assistance in finding him a proper life companion. The hopelessness of the task struck her at once, but the earnestness of the organist gained her sympathies. She questioned, she deliberated, hesitated and was lost. Ere an hour had passed she had promised him her assistance.

"I will introduce you to such ladies as would be suitable, you understand," she said; "you must do your own courting, etc."

"Oh, yah, suitable," he nodded smilingly. "Zst iss suit you an suit me, as 'tis great affaire for me, you un'erstand."

Mrs. Dahl watched him away in the direction of the park with misgivings. Shrewd she might be, but she could not fathom the feeling of this poor alien, who felt that now at a late day he might build a nest and find a heart mate.

Mrs. Dahl was a sympathetic woman. She entered the interview in her diary and memorandum book. On Monday she discussed the matter for a half hour with her husband, then prepared a list from the church record of such widows and maidens of uncertain years as she thought suitable to M. Auguste's age and circumstances. The next step was to bring about meetings. She arranged some for a coming church social. She secured a widow as a piano pupil for him. She asked two spinsters to tea on a certain evening and invited M. Auguste to meet them. The seventh and last candidate she would ask to ride out with her and include the organist in a drive to a distant park. Then monsieur would confide in her his choice, his emotions. The rest could take care of itself.

No fault could Mrs. Dahl find with monsieur's conduct. He appeared at the church social, obedient to her hints as to appearance and deportment. He was soon presented to several ladies, whom he treated with reverential politeness, but his gaze kept wandering to the bouquet of young maidens who laughed and joked with the youths of the Luther league and the Endeavor circle.

At Mrs. Dahl's suggestion he even escorted one of the widows to her home, and was cordially invited to call upon her in the future. The widow pupil was exceedingly kind to him, but he regarded her with curious eyes—eyes that had something pathetic in them. On the occasion of Mrs. Dahl's tea M. Auguste met the two maiden ladies of good family upon whose virtues Mrs. Dahl had discoursed to him the day before. One played the piano for him very well; the other was a paragon as far as housekeeping qualities were concerned.

Still monsieur rewarded not Mrs. Dahl by a sign of preference. Quite puzzled by his reticence, the minister's wife chose the next fine day for her drive, and placed by the side of the sensitive organist the last of her seven eligibles. This candidate was younger, handsomer and more worldly than any lady the aspiring musician had met. She was merry, she was pleasant and exerted herself to please monsieur. He smiled freely. He was even voluble, but he made no sign to the astonished Mrs. Dahl that he had any choice. Instead his eyes kept their puzzled expression during the whole drive.

Mrs. Dahl requested monsieur to call upon her the next day, and at the hour swept into the room with something of indignation in her mind. The little organist stood at the window and bowed quite as gracefully to her as ever.

"Well, monsieur, and have you found a suitable lady among those you have met?"

Monsieur looked at the minister's wife as a terrified child looks at its tormentor.

"Good madame, are doze all ze ladies zu haf zelected for me?" he stammered.

"Why, you've seen seven. That is a great many to select from, is it not?"

"Zey are all old ladies, iss it not? Zey air not fraish, zu call it—not full of feeling."

"Man alive!" cried Mrs. Dahl, forgetting her politeness in her vexation. "Did you expect to meet young girls—to marry as if you were young and fresh yourself? Why, man, look at yourself! You are past middle age. You are not attractive to young girls. Look at yourself!"

She pushed him in front of the long mirror. The poor little organist looked long and hung his head. Then he sought for his hat, and as he took it he turned and spoke:

"Madame, zu haf been kind, verra kind. Zu speak truly. I am nicht young. Ze work, ze study, ze poverty has made me old, but I forgot, for ze heart has yet ze youth. I may nefer find ze lady dat I seek. I grow old. Madame, I will return to my musique. Forgive me, madame."

"I wanted to cry, and yet I never was so provoked," said Mrs. Dahl to her husband. "Is he or is he not a fool?"

Her husband did not reply.

In the dusk of the evening M. Auguste leaned from the attic window. The magnificence of sunset was in his face, the silvery moon rode high in the east. His eyes showed that he had wept. Now a calmness was in them, the calmness of a resigned hope. A pile of music lay on a chair near him. He would soon go down to the church and by the single gas jet lighted in the vast room give his whole soul up to his goddess, music. She would be richer by the death of a hope, the rude dominion of a foolish but ecstatic dream.

There was a timid knock at the door. When he opened it, there stood a tall, slight girl. She was very young and very timid. On her arm hung a basket, from which she took a bundle for him.

"Zanks to zu, Mlle. Marguerite. Could not ze small brozzer come wiz ze article? Nicht zu?"

The girl colored and tears came into her eyes.

"He is sick. There was no one else. Mother hopes the mending will suit you and that you will have more."

"Yah, oni, I mean yes," said M. Auguste gravely. "I will come to see small brozzer tomorrow. It will be ze great plazzir to me. Tell him. I will go down ze stairs wiz zu, mademoiselle. Zu air one brave girl—one goot girl."

They proceeded down three flights to the street door. In the light the organist saw the traces of tears on the girl's cheeks. His heart melted. Another wept in sorrow, one so young and who would, were it not for grinding poverty, be fair, be happy. His voice was very gentle.

"Go home, my child," he said. "Ve must all suffer mooch. I will not forget to see ze small brozzer tomorrow. If he is in great dangair, come to ze church for me zis evening. I play ze organ to ease my soul. Good night, mademoiselle, I will not forget to pray for ze happiness of one so young, so sorrowful."

He turned up the street, but as she hurried away the girl smiled at him through a very rainbow of tears. That smile went with him, and after he lighted the gas jet in the church gallery he turned to the organ and once more played out an ecstatic, improvised chant to love, to home, to peace, to his hungry heart's best wishes.—Chicago Herald.

Finger Nail Fancies.

In early times it was considered that bad luck would certainly attend any person who neglected to either burn or bury the parings of his finger nails. Among the Hebrews it was the custom to pare the nails on a Friday, and the operation had to be conducted in a certain manner. The little finger on the left hand had first to be operated on, then the middle finger, followed by the fourth finger, thumb and forefinger. The nail of the middle finger of the right hand had next to be cut. Then came the thumb, then the forefinger and afterward the fourth and little finger.

When fortune telling was more in vogue than at present, the shape and appearance of the finger nails were looked on as having reference to one's destiny. The nails were first rubbed over with a mixture of wax and soot, and after being thus prepared were held so that the sunlight fell full upon them. On the horny, transparent substance were supposed to appear signs and characters from which the future could be interpreted.—Woman's Life.

Value of Book Titles.

It is said that Samuel Richardson on his deathbed told his wife that she would find among his effects some excellent titles which only needed to have books written for them to give her an income. There is no question of the great importance of a well selected name for a book as for a person. Some very wretched books have achieved at least a profitable sale by means of a taking title, and, on the other hand, many a good book has been handicapped by an awkward or an insignificant title. Yet it would be unfortunate if authors should come to regard the title as having any considerable weight besides the contents of the book.

Perhaps many people do not know that one can copyright a title without having written a page of the book. We know a man who never wrote a book in his life, and probably never will, who has copyighted a score of titles for novels which he would like to write. Some day he will hold an auction and sell off his titles.—Kansas City Journal.

A Blind Man's Calculation.

When Gauss became blind, his only amusement consisted in making calculations of a curious and somewhat peculiar nature. These sometimes lasted for days. When more than 80 years old, Gauss computed the amount to which $1 would grow if compounded annually at 4 per cent interest from the time of Adam to the present, assuming this to be 6,000 years. This, if in gold, would make a cubic mass so large that it would take a ray of light traveling almost 2,000 miles a second more than 1,000,000,000 years to journey alongside of it. This mental computation is so startling as to be almost beyond belief, yet the conclusions of this eminent mathematician are correct.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

"Poor Excuse," Etc.

"That Sims is the most resourceful fellow you ever saw. His girl had a pretty cousin stopping with her, and he told his particular that he had hired an orchestra to serenade them Thursday night. As he had done nothing of the kind and forgot all about it, and as she had made arrangements to treat the serenaders, Slims caught it hot and heavy when he next called. How do you suppose the rascal squared himself?"

"Haven't the slightest idea."

"Told the girl that the orchestra struck on him because she sang in church and didn't belong to the union."—Detroit Free Press.

Parried.

Grimes—Look here, Smith, why didn't you call last night? I told you my daughter was going to sing some of her new songs, and you appeared delighted.

Smith—I was delighted—to know she was going to sing.—Boston Transcript.

Music and Matrimony.

Captain Becker, an official of the Kongo Free State, won the affection of many of the natives in a very curious way. He bought a good loud playing barrel organ and allowed the natives to turn the handle. The captain was very anxious that the people should be married in accordance with the Christian religion, and when it was known the organ would be played at all such marriages the increase in the number of Christian weddings was remarkable. Things were generally arranged so that one wedding took place each day, in order that the organ might be heard regularly. It turned out afterward that several couples had been married twice, in order that the organ might be played at their nuptials.—Sussex News.

Fatal Hesitation.

"It appears that Charlie asked her to marry him."

"Yes."

"And she hesitated before she said 'yes.' Then Charlie said, 'Take a little time to think it over.'"

"Well?"

"And Charlie has never said anything more about it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Case of Hiding.

It is considered the thing to hide the orchestra at a party behind a screen of palms. Why hide the orchestra? As a rule, the players are fine looking men, and it is interesting to watch them play. Why not hide some of the guests? They look worse than the orchestra.—Atchison Globe.

The great city of London began on the banks of the Thames, surrounded on all sides except the river by a bulwark of forest, interspersed with swamps. Paris rose on an island of the Seine, with a protecting wall of water all around.

Guess He Was.

Nellie, aged 3, was out walking with her father, but she soon became tired, and he was obliged to carry her.

"Is I vewy heavy, papa?" she asked, as he set her down a moment to rest.

"Indeed you are," he replied.

"Say, papa," continued the little miss, "isn't you dest awful tickled zat I ain't twins?"—Exchange.

LOVE-CHARMS.

The love-charm still lingers, the last link to the old days of ignorance and superstition when charms were believed to be powerful to cure disease and defeat death. The day of charms is gone, although some sweet miss now and again procures a love charm, not knowing that the greatest love charm of all is the beauty of perfect health. And this charm is in reach of every woman. When from the drains caused by feminine disorders, girls lose the beauty of form and fairness of face which men admire, they may cure the trouble and renew strength and beauty by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It overcomes all the ills peculiar to women. It imparts strength to delicate organs, stops the drains that sap vitality, restores the color to the cheek and roundness to the form. It brings health back and health itself is beauty. It is impossible for the face to be fair or the figure shapely if there are pains, irregularities, displacements, drains, or weakness in the organs of womanhood.

"I had female weakness very badly," writes Mrs. O. S. Adams, of Fargo, Cass Co., N. Dak. "I had to be in bed part of the time. I was tired all the time, could not do my housework; had fainting spells, nervous headache, backache and pain in my left side, when I would lie down; had pains and aches all over. I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and had not taken two bottles when I was able to be around again and to do my work, with no pain. I am now feeling better than for many years."

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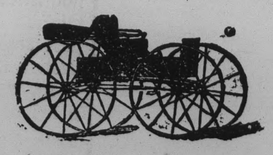

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SONOMA, DECEMBER 16, 1899.

H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

THE effort of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners to remove the California Northwestern Railway Company's depot in the ferries building at the foot of Market street, San Francisco, to the dilapidated old sheds north of its present quarters is deserving of the severest censure. The people of Marin county are up in arms against the contemplated change and before they get through with the Commissioners will no doubt force them to rescind the resolution passed the other day declaring their intention to make the change. Sonoma and Mendocino counties should join hands with plucky little Marin and teach this overofficious State Board a wholesome lesson. Surely the people of these three counties have some rights which the Harbor Commissioners are bound to respect.

OTTO VON GELDERN, consulting engineer of the City Trustees, was in town the fore part of the week and made a personal examination of the Schocken and Weyl wells. The flowing capacity of both wells will be tested next week. After the relative merits of the two wells have been inquired into the well that is considered the best for the needs of the contemplated municipal water system will be selected. The Trustees will then call an election and the water fight will be on. It is now conceded by all conservative citizens that the proposition will surely carry this time.

THE engineers appointed by the Government last year to report on improving Napa, Sonoma and Suisun creeks have recently reported unfavorably as to the two latter. Napa creek, however, was more fortunate and the engineers recommend that an additional appropriation of $4000 be made by Congress for straightening and deepening that creek. The reason given by the engineers for reporting unfavorably on Sonoma creek was that they did not consider the benefit to be derived from deepening and straightening the channel worth the cost.

THE Boers are making things quite lively for the British in South Africa. So far they have won almost every battle and skirmish that they have engaged in. Many of these have been extremely sanguinary and the losses on both sides have been heavy. There are now 80,000 British troops in South Africa and twenty thousand more are *en route* to the scene of hostilities. There can be but one outcome to this war—the English will eventually overpower her brave adversaries by superior force of numbers and cause them to sue for peace.

CONSTABLE OHM has given up pursuing tramps and is now engaged in ferreting out violators of our game and fish laws. He has very generously offered to donate $9.30 the amount of his November fees as Constable, for the arrest and conviction of any one violating our fish laws. This is very commendable in the officer and we trust he will be as successful in his search for these reprehensible offenders as was Mr. A. V. La Motte of Glen Ellen a few years ago. Further comment is unnecessary.

ALBERT G. BURNETT, Superior Judge of this county, is a nephew of Peter F. Burnett, the first civil Governor of California. His cousin, Miss Myra Burnett, will represent San Francisco in the Golden Jubilee at San Jose. The Burnetts are closely identified with the early history of California and the selection of Miss Burnett to represent its principal city is a fitting tribute to a distinguished name.

OIL companies are springing up like mushrooms in this State. Many of these are wild-cat concerns, having for their object the fleecing of the unwary. It is a safe proposition to let them severely alone.

THE University bulletin relative to the distribution of plants and seeds has been issued under the direction of E. J. Wickson of Berkeley

SCHELLVILLE SIFTINGS

Miss Evelyn Gearhart is visiting relatives at Eden Dale.

Constable Ohm transacted business in the city last week.

Billy Church bagged eleven teal in a small slough on the upper Jones ranch one day this week.

Miss Mary Burke is up from Marin county and is the guest of her sister Miss Margaret Burke.

Dr. Gardner, Superintendent of the Napa Asylum, and Mr. Parker were the guests of Robt. Howe last Monday.

The young grain on the Jones ranch looks fine and healthy and an immense crop will be harvested the coming summer.

Samuel Jones, brother of United States Senator Jones of Nevada, was the guest of manager Hamilton of the Jones ranch Sunday.

The roads in the vicinity of Schellville, notwithstanding the heavy rains of the past two months, are in excellent condition for traveling.

Mr. and Mrs. Abramo Marcuci will shortly give a dance and supper at the Kennedy place at Embarcadero, which they have recently leased.

The dredger Nevada is now at work near the drawbridge in strengthening the levee on the east side of Sonoma creek. The work will consume about two months.

Trout fishing is reported to be excellent in the tide waters of Sonoma creek in the vicinity of Embarcadero. Several two and three-pounders have been caught the past week.

Hon. Robt. Howe of Eden Dale is the grand-daddy of a brand new baby boy. Mr. and Mrs. Asa Waugaman (*nee* Lydia Howe) were presented with a little son at their home in San Francisco on the 6th inst.

Fruit Seller vs. Fruit Buyer.

A civil suit of interest to fruit buyers and growers was tried before Justice Wilson of Sebastopol and a jury on Saturday, says the *Republican*. The title of the suit was Mather vs. Varney, and was an action to compel the latter, a fruit buyer, to fulfill a contract and to pay $100 damages. Mather had a contract with Varney for 141 boxes of dried apples. He delivered 41 boxes and was paid $100 on account. Varney claimed that the apples were not up to contract specifications and refused to accept the other 100 boxes or to pay the balance on the 41 boxes accepted. Varney also claimed the 41 boxes were accepted conditionally. He asked for $299 damages in that sum by reason of the apples falling below the contract specifications. Before the case was ended the jury was taken to the warehouse and the fruit was inspected. After being out several hours the foreman announced that no verdict could be reached, as they stood four to four. They were sent back to deliberate but could not agree, the final vote being five to three in favor of defendant.

Is Baby Too Thin?

If so, there must be some trouble with its food. Well babies are plump; only the sick are thin. Are you sure the food is all right? Children can't help but grow; they must grow if their food nourishes them. Perhaps a mistake was made in the past and as a result the digestion is weakened. If that is so, don't give the baby a lot of medicine; just use your every-day common sense and help nature a little, and the way to do it is to add half a teaspoonful of

SCOTT'S EMULSION

to the baby's food three or four times a day. The gain will begin the very first day you give it. It seems to correct the digestion and gets the baby started right again. If the baby is nursing but does not thrive, then the mother should take the emulsion. It will have a good effect both upon the mother and child. Twenty-five years proves this fact.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Town Improvements.

Ground has been broken for the new store which is to be built on the Adler lot near the Postoffice for Perkins & Bates. The new firm will engage in the grocery business and expect to open up about January 1st. In engaging in business here Messrs. Perkins & Bates, both of whom are well and favorably known all over the valley, expect to build up a good business by the excellence of their goods and fair dealing.

Wm. Trudgen with a force of men is engaged in constructing a gutterway on Napa street beetween Adler's corner and the Sonoma Valley Bank building. This is an improvement that ought to have been made by the city years ago.

A foundation of stone and gravel has been laid in front of the town hitching posts on Napa street.

Henry Weyl is having his residence newly painted and otherwise improved.

Death of an Infant.

Johnny, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs Rafael Quartaroli of this place, died at the home of his parents last Wednesday. He was aged one month and twenty-two days. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Francis' Church.

Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune, $8.25 per year.

Daily Examiner and Index-Tribune, $8.80 per year.

COUNTY NEWS ITEMS.

Gus De Vernie, a block maker, who has been operating the quarry on the the Licham place near Pennsgrove for a number of years, was found dead Monday morning by a hunter. His body lay in the doorway of his mountain home. An inquest was held and a verdict of death from natural causes was returned.

Wm. Patterson of Alexander valley was found lying dead in the road near Brooks Hill last Saturday. His team had evidently ran away as the wagon was overturned and Mr. Patterson was covered with sacks of grain with which the vehicle was laden when it left Santa Rosa some hours previously. Young Mr. Brooke discovered the accident. The deceased lay face downward in the mud. An inquest was held on Sunday by Coroner Pierce and and a verdict of accidental death was rendered.

The last will and testament of Abraham Ward, the Petaluma pioneer, was filed for probate on Monday. The will was executed October 17, 1899. Deceased gave to his son, John H. Ward, one hundred and twenty-eight acres of land before his demise. James H. Ward, Abraham P. Ward, Hanna Mary Smith, Belle Hemmenway, are each given one-sixth of the remainder of the estate. Albert Porter, Laura V. and Robert T. Seavy, Franklin Arthur Ward and Ada Lucinda Ward are each to receive an undivided one eighteenth interest in the estate. James A. Ward is named as executor, and his petition accompanies the will. The estate is valued at $32,000.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligatirn made by their firm.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.
Hall's family Pills are the best.

The Latest Yarn.

A Pittsburg drummer tells this new yarn I always carry a bottle of Kemp's Balsam in my grip. I take cold easily and a few doses of the Balsam always make me a well man. Everywhere I go I alwaysspeak a good word for Kemp. I take hold of my customers—I take old men and young men and tell them confidentially what I do, when I take cold. At druggists, 25c. and 50c.

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WANTED—SEVERAL TRUSTworthy persons in this state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight $900 a year and expenses—definite, bonafide, no more, no less salary. Monthly $75. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope, Herbert E. Hess, Prest., Dept., M, Chicago.

WANTED—SEVERAL BRIGHT AND honest persons to represent us as Managers in this and close by counties. Salary $900 a year and expenses. Straight bona-fide, no more, no less salary. Position permanent. Our references, any bank in any town. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. THE DOMINION COMPANY, Dept, 3, Chicago.

WANTED SEVERAL PERSONS FOR DISTRICT Office Managers in this state to represent me in their own and surrounding counties. Willing to pay $600, payable weekly. Desirable employment with unusual opportunities. References exchanged. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. S. A. Park, 320 Caxton Building, Chicago.

El Verano Shots.

Ed. Slattery is on the sick list with a severe attack of la grippe.

L. C. Frisbie passed through this place Monday on his way to Benicia.

Mrs. F. M. Mullen and son Mitchell Mullen are spending a few days in San Francisco.

Ken Weaver and Mr. Corbin, the expert coon hunters of this burg, report a scarcity of coons hereabouts.

Our coming Sheriff will have to get next to himself before another county election rolls around if he expects to get the office.

Robt. Poppe and L. H. Green boarded the north-bound Southern Pacific train Monday morning. They were bound for Santa Rosa on legal business.

SNAPSHOTS.

Catch Cold Easily?

Are you frequently hoarse? Do you have that annoying tickling in your throat? Would you feel relieved if you could raise something? Does your cough annoy you at night, and do you raise more mucus in the morning?

Then you should always keep on hand a bottle of

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

If you have a weak throat you cannot be too careful. You cannot begin treatment too early. Each cold makes you more liable to another, and the last one is always harder to cure than the one before it.

Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Plaster protects the lungs from colds.

Help at Hand.

If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly obtain, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply,
Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

THE SUPERIOR COURT

In Judge Dougherty's department on Monday a sale of real estate was ordered in the estate of Magdalena Gryff.

These probate matters were continued: Estates of E. S. Brown, W. J. Hassett, J. S. Bell and Edward Surryhne, all to December 18th.

In the action of Peterson vs. Stearns the demurrer was sustained and ten days given to amend. In the suit of Spottswood vs. Spottswood, the demurrer was withdrawn and five days given to amend.

The action of Quien vs. Bocca was reset for trial for December 27th.

The suit of Mock vs. the City of Santa Rosa et al. was continued to December 14th.

The will of the late Hiram Wallace was admitted to probate and Minard Wallace was appointed executor in a bond of $26,000.

The action of the Santa Rosa Bank against Appolonaris Monga, judgment was given for $575.37 and costs. W. E. McConnell represented plaintiff.

The will of William Green was admitted to probate and L. Green was appointed executor without bonds.

A colored woman, Sarah Corbin, was arraigned in Judge Burnett's court and entered a plea of not guilty to the charge against her of assault with a deadly weapon upon A. M. Daly at Cloverdale. The other calendar matters were as follows:

The demurrer was sustained and two days given to amend in the suit of Charles Martin vs. Julia Barry.

The costs in the Timms case were taxed at $48.35.

The demurrer was withdrawn and five days allowed to answer in the action of Louise Newlin against John Newlin.

An opinion was rendered and the demurrer was sustained in the action of the California Winemakers' Corporation against F. Schmidt.

Defaults were entered in the suits of Charles Henkel vs. Susan Henkel and A. J. Cook vs. Minnie Cook, and both matters were referred to the court commissioner.

MISCELLAEOUNS.

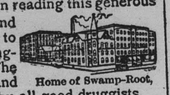
DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.



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Beginning Monday, December 11th
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Here you will find the Largest and Best line of SILVER NOVELTIES and CUT GLASS in the county AND PRICES THE LOWEST, being direct from the factory.
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DAUNT, The Optician and Jeweler, 809 Main street, Petaluma.

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SONOMA, DECEMBER 16, 1899.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Malcolm Elliott Returns From Manila.

Malcom Elliott has returned from Manila after an absence of nearly two years and is now the guest of Sonoma friends. Young Elliott, who was a student at the Stanford University at the breaking out of the war with Spain, gave up his studies and enlisted in the First California Regiment, being but seventeen years of age at that time. He was mustered out of service in Manila and did not return with the California boys, as he intended to re-enlist in the regular army, but owing to ill-health changed his mind and decided to return to California. Young Elliott passed through many exciting episodes and was on the firing line in many of the skirmishes and battles fought in and around Manila. On one occasion two of his companions were shot dead while he was standing between them. Both were Stanford men and fellow students at the University.

BREVITIES.

Anton Kiser spent Sunday in San Francisco.

Stylish Millinery at Miss English's, 852 Main St., Petaluma. *

A new 30-horse power boiler has been put in the Chauvet distillery.

Up to date Millinery at Miss English's 852 Main st., Petaluma. *

Furnished front room to let on Napa street. Apply to L. H Green. *

When in Petaluma go to Miss Mattie Wier's, 850 Main street, for bargains in winter millinery. *

Go to the new millinery store two doors above Hale Bros., Petaluma, for latest styles in hats and bonnets. *

J. Chauvet of Glen Ellen is busy shipping several carloads a day of his fine wine from his cellars in Santa Rosa.

Dr. F. H. Phillips, Surgeon Dentist. All branches of dentistry. All work guaranteed. Office—I. O. O. F. building, Petaluma. *

The Schellville Rod and Gun Club have leased of the Schell estate all their tule lands for a period of five years for shooting purposes.

With each $1 purchase at Hotz's dry goods store you will get one ticket on a beautiful doll, which is now on display in his show window. *

H. F. Dessau, representing the San Francisco *Call*, was in town last Monday and Tuesday looking after the interests of that excellent daily.

No more appropriate Christmas present can be made than a handsome buggy robe. Chas. Wilson, Main street, Petaluma, has them in great variety. *

Domestic servant wishes a position in Sonoma valley or vicinity with privilege of five-year-old child with her. Apply to or address "Domestic," this office. *

Stock ranch of 400 acres to lease. Two hundred dollars per annum. Timber and fine running water on the place. For further particulars address this office.

When you take your best girl for a ride be sure you have one of those swell plush buggy robes which are being sold by Chas. Wilson, Main street, Petaluma. *

Robt. P. Hill of Eldridge has been drawn as a juror in the case of the People vs. Fred. Smith, which comes up for trial in the Superior Court next Tuesday.

With every 50c purchase or repair at Wahlen's, the Jeweler, you get a chance on a lady's chain and solid gold watch set with diamonds and rubies, 835 Main st., Petaluma. *

The University of California closes for the holiday vacation next Friday. Sonoma valley's contingent of students will then return to their respective homes for a rest of three weeks.

The examination of the students of the Sonoma High School has been in progress all the week. The examinations of all the classes closed yesterday and the papers of the students will be forwarded to the University of California for inspection.

As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation. D. B. Johnston of Richmond, Ind., has been troubled with that ailment since 1862. In speaking of it he says: "I never found anything that would relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It acts like magic with me. My foot was swollen and paining me very much, but one good application of Pain Balm relieved me. For sale by F. Duhring. *

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

PROPOSED NEW ROAD.

A Much-Needed Improvement in the Agua Caliente District.

On Thursday of last week W. E. Goethe and other residents of the Agua Caliente road district presented a petition to the Board of Supervisors praying for a new road to take the place of the present road known as the Goethe road, about two miles in length. This is a much-needed improvement and will prove a great convenience to the farmers in the mountains northeast of Agua Caliente. The road asked for will run over the lands of L. B. and L. W. Mayer, R. Lenhardt, Mrs. Ed. Reed, W. Shelback and Miss Maggie Reed.

The Supervisors have appointed County Surveyor Smythe, Gabriel Streiff and John Eckhardt to view and lay out the proposed road, which commences 200 yards westerly from W. L. Mayer's residence.

SONOMA ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.

J. Chauvet Interviewed in Regard to Acquiring the Property.

A Santa Rosa *Press-Democrat* reporter interviewed J. Chauvet of Glen Ellen, a few days ago, in regard to his contemplated purchase of the Sonoma Electric Light Company's plant, which was published exclusively in these columns two weeks ago. That paper in reporting the result of the interview says:

"A reporter questioned Joshua Chauvet of Glen Ellen, who was in town yesterday, regarding the report published a few days ago that he contemplated purchasing the plant of the Sonoma Electric Light Company and would remove the same to Glen Ellen. He said he was figuring on the proposition but before entering into the matter too deeply he should ascertain if the proposition would pay. If the plant is moved to Glen Ellen it will be operated in winter time by water power, which will also furnish a portion of the motive force in summer. The lights will be used at Glen Ellen, Sonoma, and in fact anywhere it is desired, Mr. Chauvet says."

Christmas at the California Home.

Dr. A. E. Osborne, Superintendent of the California Home, has sent out his annual Christmas greeting card to the charitably inclined. The doctor says: "This card is sent to remind you that the boys and girls of the Home at Eldridge need your aid in the preparation of their Christmas festival. It has been designed to first catch your eye—then to hold your attention, that it may not be lightly cast away, but, instead, carried to your fireside there to cause you to contrast your condition with theirs, so that when the deepening twilight blurs the page it may find a ready response from your heart as you sit and think it over. And thus may much joy and comfort be brought to those whose souls wander feebly through dimly lighted minds."

Eclipse of the Moon.

There will be an eclipse of the moon this evening. It will be after 7 o'clock before the moon leaves the umbra, or denser portion of the earth's shadow, and after 8 o'clock before it leaves the penumbra, or half shadow. In magnitude, the eclipse will be .996, or so nearly total that only a close observer will be able to distinguish the difference. Astronomers say that the best time for observing the phenomenon will be about 6 o'clock in the evening, shortly after the moon rises over the hills.

The Place to Trade.

When you are in need of fine underwear, boots, shoes, hats or winter goods dont forget to call on Mrs. T. Olivieri, dealer in general merchandise, next door to the Postoffice. Her prices are the lowest and the goods No. 1

The Special Reserve Old Government Whiskey.

The board of health of San Francisco has resolved to distribute among the returning soldiers a quantity of the purest grain liquor measured in Government warehouses and has accepted for the sanitary purpose a liberal supply of Old Government Whiskey. Under the circumstances this is quite a happy thought. It is almost as if Uncle Sam said to his faithful fighters: "I don't encourage drinking, boys, but when you really need a stimulant take a bottle of Special Reserve." Sold by A. Pinelli. *

A REMARKABLE WOMAN.

Mrs. John Meche of Bodega Creates a Sensation in this Place.

Mrs. John Meche, is an Italian woman living with her husband at Bodega Roads. She lately appeared in this place and put up at the Toscano Hotel. It soon become bruited about that she had performed many remarkable surgical cures in the vicinity of her home and a number of residents of this place, who had been ailing for months, sought her out and placed themselves under her care. The result was most remarkable. In a short time after being treated cripples were enabled to throw away their crutches and walk without their aid. Others suffering from stiff joints and reheumatic pains were cured almost instantly. The cures effected by this woman during her brief stay here were quite numerous. Among those who can testify to her remarkable cures are S. Ciucci, proprietor of the Toscano Hotel, whose little daughter Amelia was treated by the woman. Mrs. Meche, does not claim to be a doctor, but says she has a knowledge of certain kinds of surgery which she alone possesses. She accepts no fee as she is not regularly graduated. Among those in this place who have been benefited by her treatment are a little son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Harris, Fred Joy, Amelia Ciucci, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Ciucci. and Miss Rena Yates.

In the case of the latter which will give the reader an idea of this woman's surgical treatment, we will state that Miss Yates met with an accident some months ago and one of her feet was so twisted out of shape that it was almost impossible for her to walk. Mrs. Meche, when the patient was brought to her, examined the crippled foot critically. She then commenced to rub the tendons and joints of the limb with her hands apparently while pressing with her fingers a nerve or joint into proper position. Immediately after having gone through with this treatment the foot regained its natural shape and the patient was enabled to walk with the greatest ease.

STORMY WEATHER.

Heavy Downpour Last Thursday Night — Precipitation for the Season 12.79 Inches.

The past week has been a stormy one and umbrellas, rubbers and water-proof coats have been in demand. The creeks are booming and the ground is soaked down to bedrock. A regular old-fashioned southeaster set in last Thursday night and the rain fell in torrents, the precipitation being nearly one inch for the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. The rainfall to date compared with that of a corresponding period last season, according to local Signal Service Observer Hall, is 12.79 inches for the present season and 2.40 for last season. The precipitation for December up to 7 o'clock yesterday morning was 1.77 inches.

As we go to press, 4 P. M. Friday, it is raining pitch-forks tines downward.

Death of Ernest Fischer.

Ernest Fischer, who was committed to the Napa Asylum from this place several years ago, died in that institution last Thursday. The deceased was aged about 30 years and a native of Germany.

He leaves a mother and five sisters and two brothers to mourn his loss, as follows: Mrs. Fischer, Mrs. A. Schenkberg, Mrs. Rosa Spriget, Miss Stina Fischer, Miss Marie Fischer and William Fischer of San Francisco and Carl Fischer of this place.

The remains will be shipped from Napa to this place this afternoon and the funeral will take place tomorrow. The remains will be laid to rest in the family burial plot in Valley Cemetery.

Brevities.

Remember your friends by sending them some of the valuable things from the Sonoma Racket Store. *

V. Bullotti, our local house painter, has just finished kalsomining and otherwise improving the interior of the Pinelli building.

The Sonoma Racket Store evidently expect a large Xmas trade, judging from the extensive and pretty line of holiday goods they have just opened. *

On the private residence grounds of the INDEX-TRIBUNE editor are 12 ten-year-old orange trees of the Washington Naval variety. They are between twelve and fifteen feet in height and are loaded down with golden fruit. These trees have been in bearing for seven years.

ATTRACTIONS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Fine Display of Christmas Goods.

No Excuse for Rushing to San Francisco for Your Presents.

By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that our merchants have been making great preparations for the holidays. Their stores have been stocked with brand new goods especially for Christmas, which can be purchased as cheap, if not cheaper, at home than in the big stores of the metropolis. This being so, there can be no excuse for the residents of Sonoma and Vallejo townships going to the city for their Christmas presents. Spend your money at home this season and there will be a chance of getting it back again. Money spent with the city merchant will never return to you.

G. H. Hotz has just received a fine assortment of sterling silver novelties, games, ladies and gents' linen, dressing cases, etc.

E. Clewe has a fine new assortment of useful and ornamental presents for young and old and novelties in all lines.

Duhring is offering some exceptionally fine presents in the way of gold and silver jewelry, novelties, crockery, lamps, toys, etc.

Hale Bros. & Co. of Petaluma have enough gifts on their counters to supply both Sonoma and Vallejo townships. This firm is also making a specialty of everything in the way of clothing and dry goods for the holiday season.

S. Schocken displays a nice assortment of toys, fancy articles, perfumery and fancy mixed candies.

Daunt, the Petaluma jeweler, has all the latest novelties in his line and also a fine assortment of silverware and cut glass.

The Racket Store of Petaluma, announces hundreds of nice holiday selections that are desirable and reliable.

J. C. Whalen of Petaluma, dealer in diamonds and jewelry, can supply you with anything in his line at less than city prices. His stock is the finest in the county,

Chas. Wilson, the Petaluma harness maker, is displaying a fine assortment of buggy robes. They are just the thing for a useful Christmas present.

The Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy, than by any other. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

HOLIDAY SEASON

Is nearly at hand. It would be well to come and see us early. While the assortments are at their best we can supply you with all that is good and useful at little prices.

Ladies and Childrens' Jackets.

Ladies' Black or Navy Blue Beaver or Boucle Jackets, with storm collars, cut in the latest style. Price, $4 00 and $5 00.
Ladies' Stylish Jackets, in Tans, Browns, Navies and Blacks. All new styles this season. Price, $5 00, $6 50, $7 00, $9 00 and $10 00.
Childrens' Jackets. We have a big variety to select from. Ages 4 to 14 years. Price, $2 50 to $6 50.
Fur Collars, Boas and Capes in great variety. Prices, $1.00 to $20.00.

Dress Goods.

New Black Crepons, in patterns just right for holiday gifts. We have a big variety in skirt and suit lengths. Price $1 00, $1 25, $1 50, $1 75 and $2 00 a yard.

Table Linen and Napkins.

We are showing some handsome Table Linens. Very wide and fine. Price, $1 00 and $1 25 a yd.
Napkins to match the Linen. Very large and fine. Price $4 00 per dozen.
Fine Bleached Linen Damask. Prices 50c, 60c, 75c and $1 00 yd.
Heavy half-Bleached Table Linen. Extra values. Price, 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c and 75c per yd.

Ladies' Wrappers

We are showing a big line of Percale and Flannelette Wrappers, made in the new Fall styles. Sizes 34 to 44. Price 75c to $2 00.
Ladies' Correct Wrappers. Just the thing for house wear. Price, $1 25.

Gloves for Everybody

Ladies' fine Kid Gloves, Black, White or Colors. Price, $1 00, $1 25, $1 50 pr.
Childrens and Misses' one or two-clasps kid Gloves, in colors. Price, $1 pr.
Ladies and Childrens' Cashmere Woolen Gloves, 25c pair.
Mens' heavy knit Yam Gloves for winter. Price 25c to 50c pair.
Mens and Boys' wool lined Gloves for cold weather. Price 35c to $1.50 pr.

Mens and Boys' Clothing

Mens' Suits. We have a big variety. New Fall styles. Prices, $4 to $15 00.
Boys and Young Mens' Long Pant Suits, all styles. Price $4 00 to $10 00.
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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

N. R. Hansen of Glen Ellen was at the county seat last Monday.

Will Clewe spent Sunday with San Francisco friends.

Chas. Ruffner has returned from Petaluma after an absence of several months.

Miss Theo Bates was the guest of San Francisco friends last Saturday and Sunday.

G. H. Hotz was in San Francisco this week purchasing a beautiful line of holiday goods.

Ex-Sergeant Fields of San Francisco visited his ranch near this place several days this week.

Mrs. Stockwell has been entertaining her sister and little nephew from San Francisco this week.

Mrs. J. A. Poppe, Sonoma's lady merchant, has been confined to her bed all the week with a severe spell of sickness.

Deputy Assessor Blair Hart of Lakeville was in town Tuesday evening and attended a meeting of the Masonic Lodge.

Wm. Glynn has returned to Bethney, San Joaquin county, after a visit of several days with his mother Mrs. Ellen Glynn.

Alfred Walliser, son of Dr. and Mrs. Walliser of this place, is progressing rapidly in his studies at the Lowell High School, San Francisco.

John Ludemann came down from Santa Rosa Sunday and attended the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of his sister Mrs. Julius Fochetti.

Mrs. Gordenker of Glen Ellen attended the Junior farce given by the students of the University of California in Oakland last Saturday. Mrs. Gordenker's son Demie took a prominent part.

The wedding of Frederick Lowell and Miss Hattie Shattuck was celebrated in San Francisco Thursday at the home of the bride. Mr. Lowell, the groom, is the son of Mr. and Mrs A. D. Lowell of this valley. The bride is a prepossessing and charming young lady and a resident of the metropolis. After a short trip in the southern part of the State Mr. and Mrs. Lowell will visit Sonoma valley where they expect to remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Fochetti celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage with a silver wedding last Sunday evening. A sumptuous repast was served which was partaken of by the relatives and a few immediate friends. One of the feature of the happy gathering was vocal and instrumental music. Mr. and Mrs. Fochetti were married in this place in December, 1874, in the house now owned by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bates.

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Dr. Hoffman, the well-known veterinary surgeon of Napa, has left for Manila, where he will practice his profession.

Lester Small, the fourteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Small, was taken to San Francisco last Monday for surgical treatment. It was decided to place him in the French Hospital under the care of a nerve specialist. The case of this unfortunate boy has been pronounced almost hopeless by eminent physicians. For many years he has been a cripple, the result of a fall when about eighteen months old. Lately his eyes become affected and the disease, which has its origin in the nerve center, threatens to reach the brain. Every thing possible has been done for the child ever since he received the injury but year by year he continued to grow gradually worse, although the perfect picture of health aside from his crippled condition. He has been able to attend school regularly and is a remarkably bright scholar. He was promoted to the seventh grade at the last term of the Grammar School, and it is with the deepest regret that his schoolmates were compelled to see him leave them for one of the big metropolitan hospitals, where it is to be hoped, however, that he will be enabled to come forth entirely cured. Young Lester is a general favorite with all who know his worth.

Something for the New Year

The world renowned success of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters and their continued popularity for near half of a century as a stomachic, is scarcely more wonderful than the welcome that greets the annual appearance of Hostetter's Almanac. This valuable medical treatise is published by the Hostetter Company, Pittsburgh, Pa., under their own immediate supervision, employing 60 hands in that department. They are running about 11 months in the year on this work, and the issue of same for 1900 will be over eleven millions, printed in the English, German, French, Welsh, Norwegian, Swedish, Holland, Bohemian and Spanish languages. Refer to a copy of it for valuable and interesting reading concerning health and numerous testimonials as to the efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, amusement, varied information, astronomical calculations and chronological items, etc., which can be depended on for correctness. The Almanac for 1900 can be obtained, free of cost, from druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the country.

A. J. Van Every, a pioneer resident of this place, is lying very ill at his home on Spain street.

F. T. Durhring and his brother-in-law C. T. Ryland visited San Francisco Friday.

Another wedding is on the tapis. One of Sonoma's fair daughters will soon be led to the altar by a young business man of the metropolis.

Miss Leo Schiller was tendered a surprise party by her young lady and gentlemen friends on Wednesday evening last at her home on Second-street East. The evening was pleasantly spent in feasting which was interspersed with vocal and instrumental music and social converse.

Mrs. T. Olivieri, the lady merchant, is the mother of a posthumous child. On Friday night of last week she was made happy by the arrival of a bouncing baby boy. Mrs. Olivieri's husband died about three months ago, the result of a surgical operation performed at the French Hospital, San Francisco.

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Broke His Heart and His Purse.

Mrs. White told the following story on her husband: Some years ago Fred Harvey gave Mr. White a pass, good at the Harvey eating houses along the Santa Fe, and Mr. and Mrs. White started on a trip to Colorado to take advantage of Mr. Harvey's generosity. At every eating station Mr. White ate enormously and then proudly produced his free ticket. He had had it a year and never before found opportunity to use it. Mrs. White, who was compelled to pay for her meals, ate very sparingly, and some of the other passengers remarked how much the husband ate and how daintily his wife nibbled.

When they reached the last station where the free ticket was good, Mr. White ordered everything in sight and simply stuffed himself. Mrs. White remained in the car and nibbled a little lunch she had brought along. When Mr. White returned to the car, his wife noticed that he looked mighty unhappy considering that he had previously been enormously enjoying the Fred Harvey free ticket. He continued looking unhappy, and his wife feared that possibly he had foundered himself and pressed him for an explanation.

"Well, Sallie," he finally said, "I might as well make a clean breast of it. That last one wasn't a Fred Harvey eating house, and I was compelled to pay $2.75 for my breakfast."—Atchison Globe.

Beecher's Witty Retort.

Justin McCarthy, in his "Reminiscences," tells this story of Henry Ward Beecher:

"I met Beecher during my first visit to America, and I heard him preach in the temple of his ministrations, the Plymouth church, in Brooklyn. Beecher's style as a preacher was more like that of the pulpit orators who flourished a century or two ago than like the style of our own more refined or more conventional days. He never thought it beneath himself or his calling to say an amusing thing in one of his sermons if the thought came up appropriately in his mind. He had a way when he entered his church on the Sunday of taking up any letters which might be addressed to him there, and he sometimes opened one of these and read it out to the congregation and made it a text on which to hang a discourse.

"One day he opened such a letter, and he found that it contained the single word 'Fool.' He mentioned the fact to his congregation and then quietly added, 'Now I have known many an instance of a man writing a letter and forgetting to sign his name, but this is the only instance I have ever known of a man signing his name and forgetting to write the letter.'"

A Curious Calling.

A certain young man in this city makes a princely income by being a professional good fellow. As he has the field practically to himself he finds his labors are now growing to such an extent that he will soon be obliged to call in assistance. The popular young fellow belongs to no less than 60 social, secret and society organizations, and not one of these bodies suspects that he attends all the meetings as a matter of business. But he does, all the same.

A prominent caterer, who makes a specialty of furnishing banquets and dinners of all kinds to dining and other clubs, employs the young man to look out for his interests whenever a ball or other entertainment is suggested where the services of a caterer will be desirable. Of course the organization is generally glad to follow the advice of a popular member, and the caterer usually gets the order. Whenever a new club is organized the young man, who can come with the highest recommendations, is generally the first on the roll. All these expenses are paid by the caterer, who is satisfied that his investment is a first class one.—Philadelphia Record.

The Awfulness of Space.

The immensity of the universe is aptly illustrated by Astronomer Newcomb in a magazine. We refer to it because it is one of the most comprehensible illustrations that we have seen. He says that if an express train running 60 miles an hour day and night without stopping kept it up for 350 years it would just about complete the diameter of the circle made by the earth in its yearly journey around the sun. Now let this immense circle be represented by a lady's finger ring, and taking that as the standard of measurement the nearest fixed star would be a mile distant and the farthest visible through the telescope at least 20 miles.—Paterson Call.

Couldn't Grind Her Teeth In Sleep.

An eminent professor of psychology at Harvard was deeply interested in the case of an epileptic woman. Talking with her husband, he sought out premonitions and symptoms. And he asked this question, "Did you ever notice that your wife ground her teeth at night?"

To which the bereaved husband replied, "She never slept in them."—Boston Journal.

Absurd on the Face of It.

Hardacre—Wall, Maria, these city folks do things outrageously.

Mrs. Hardacre—What is it now, Hi?

Mr. Hardacre—Wall, jest look what's painted on that pail up thar, "Use For Fire Only." Now, who in all creation could build a fire in a pail?—Chicago News.

Quite a Menagerie.

"Yes," said the excited man, "he tried to act the hog and treat me like a dog, but I soon showed him he was playing horse with the wrong man when he monkeyed with me!"—Indianapolis Journal

He Needed a Shave.

He had been out so late the night before that he did not know at what hour he had come home. When he awoke, he was curious to learn just how "rocky" he looked. He accordingly reached out for the silver backed hand mirror that lay on the table beside his bed.

Instead of the mirror he got hold of the silver backed hairbrush. Not recognizing his mistake, he took the brush up and gazed at the bristles for a moment. Then he felt of the silver back and then stared back at the bristles.

"Good heavens," he murmured at last, "but I need a shave!"—San Francisco Argonaut.

South American Revolutions.

Whenever the South Americans desire a change of administration they hoist a flag on a pole and march into the main street of the city. If the crowd becomes too formidable to be overcome by a military demonstration, the administration capitulates, and the outs take the place of the ins. It is often the only way of changing the administration, because the ins have the military and can carry elections to suit themselves.—Baltimore American.

The Old Man's Retort.

"You don't have any ruins in this blawsted country," said the British scion to his future father-in-law.

"No," said the old man, "we don't. And you won't have any left in England if your noble army of titled paupers can marry enough rich Yankee girls to put new roofs on your old castles."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Her Way of Getting It.

Wife (earnestly)—George, dear, I have prayed so fervently of late for a tailor made gown that I feel it would be flying in the face of Providence not to go and get measured at once.—Brooklyn Life.

Domestic Sarcasm.

He (at breakfast)—My dear, the paper says there was quite a fire in our block early this morning. It is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

She—Well, don't let a little thing like that worry you.

He—Why, what do you mean?

She—Nobody will ever accuse you of building it.—Chicago News.

A Perfectly Natural Question.

"Pat," said his young wife, "I wish you wouldn't put your knife in your mouth when you eat."

"An phwere would yez hev me put it," said Pat in astonishment, "in me eyes?"—Harper's Bazar.

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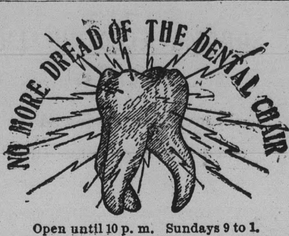

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